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Shako Of The 1st "hussar" Regiment, Model 1812. First Empire.



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Signature : HUSSARD

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Leather

Length : -

Width : -

Diameter : -

Height : -

Depth : -

Description

Black felt body. A waxed cowhide leather cap folded over the felt. Sewn to the bottom of the felt is a plain cowhide leather band with a buckle and prong at the back; beneath this buckle is a simple leather gusset to facilitate adjustment of the band.A rounded visor made of thick, varnished cowhide leather is sewn to the front of the shako.An embossed iron plate depicting a crowned imperial eagle holding Jupiter's thunderbolt in its talons, resting on a shield-shaped base with the number "1," bordered at the bottom by an oak branch and a laurel branch; the lateral ends of the shield are decorated with a lion's head.A tricolor painted leather cockade is placed above the plate and secured to the shako body with a clasp on each side; the colors are white on the outside, followed

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by scarlet and blue in the center.Beneath the cockade is a gusset designed to hold the pompon. Chin straps are positioned on either side of the shako; each consists of sheepskin fitted with iron scales cut alternately into two or three scallops. The chin strap is secured by a metal rosette stamped with a star in its center. Above the cockade is a pompon shaped like a bread apple, made of scarlet wool.The inner lining is made of sheepskin and canvas.France. First Empire.See my other shakos in my shop.